

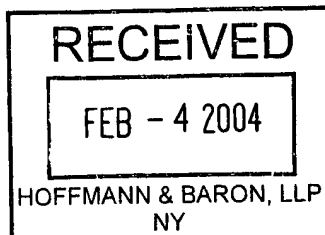


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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$1766 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

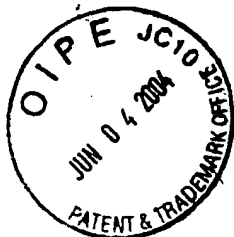
SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$2666 for a Large Entity

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02 FC:1051	130.00 OP
03 FC:1202	1422.00 OP
04 FC:1201	344.00 OP

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.



- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$1766**

- **\$344** for **4** independent claims over 3.
- **\$1422** for **79** total claims over 20.

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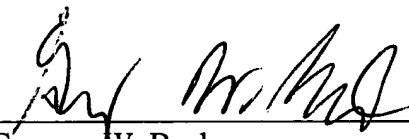
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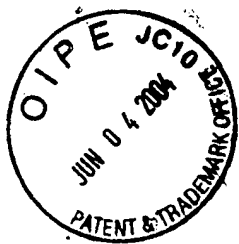
4. A Combined Declaration And Power Of Attorney executed by Antoni Chan.
5. Authorization to Charge Fees to Deposit Account.
6. Petition for One-Month Extension of Time.
7. A check in the amount of \$3,086; \$770.00 to cover the basic filing fee, \$130 to cover the fee for the late oath or declaration Surcharge, \$344 to cover the fee for 4 additional independent claims over 4; \$1,422 to cover the fee for 79 additional claims over 20; and \$420.00 to cover the fee for a two-month extension of time, all payable as a large entity.

If any additional fees are due or an overpayment has been made, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2461 or credit our Deposit Account for such sum. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Date: June 2, 2004

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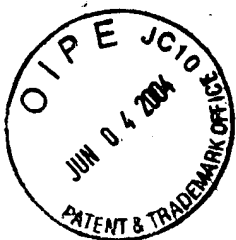
**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
OF NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED**

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Non-Provisional Application - Filing

Date Granted dated February 2, 2004, enclosed herewith are the following:

1. Copy of Notice To File Missing Parts Of Non-Provisional Application - Filing Date Granted.
2. A Combined Declaration And Power Of Attorney executed by Anthony Reeves.
3. A Combined Declaration And Power Of Attorney executed by David Yankelevitz and Claudia Henschke.



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**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE FEES TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

Sir:

**1. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 08-2461:

- ☒ [X] 37 CFR 1.16(b), (c), and (d) (presentation of extra claims)
- ☒ [X] 37 CFR 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic fee and/or declaration at a date later than the filing date of the application)
- ☒ [X] 37 CFR 1.17 (application processing fees)

A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed.

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